LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Ouden.—The people of Washington cannot fail now to see the effect of the law providing for the arrest and punishment of all who are detected with "dangerous weapons" about their persons.

Already, peaceable and order-loving citizens have been arrested and fined for having on their persons weapons to protect themselves from viole and assassination, while those who perpetrat t ese acts are not reached by the law. It is perfectly innocuous in relation to them, for the reason, that if detected, the amount of the fine cannot be made out of them, and the officers of the law are only carrying out a principle of human nature when they arrest those only out of whom the fine can be made. It is perhaps expecting too much to ask them to spend their time in hunting up infractors of the law from whom nothing is to be obtained, for, of course, the informer is entitled to one-half the amount of the fine.

We mean no disrespect to the officers by this. We assert that it is perfectly natural for them to act in this way, and we blame them not for so doing. It was thus with infractors of the bread laws, in times past. The small dealers could evide the law with impunity, while those who had money or property were watched and pounced upon, and offered up a sacrifice at the altar of violated law, as an example of what could and would be done with the rest if they had had the neans to pay the fine.

Who is there that will not protect himself extent of the arrest and punishment of the orderly and quiet-loving citizens, surely it is reaconable for the citizen to protect his life when it is assailed, and to provide himself with the means of doing so in the most effectual manner, espeially when the law fails to protect him by reaching those who are always prepared and armed for

It is pall ably evident that the present city govrnment is not capable of providing for the safety of the people. The people have no confidence in the administrators of the law. The administration has no confidence in itself. This fact was abun lantly evident in June last. What but want of confidence in himself induced the Mayor to apply to the General Government for troops to juell a riot which it has been proven did not exist? He has no confidence in the citizens over whose welfare he presides. The citizens have, if ossible, still less confidence in him. Under such circumstances what else could be expected than the present or a worse state of society?

Infinitely better would it be if we had no city overnment. Of what use is a city government to the people of Washington? It only serves to mplicate matters. Why not look to Congress? where do our corporate powers come from? Why delegate those powers to a sub-legislature? ongress legislates for the District, and never has its legislation been improved by the action of orporate authority.

George Washington, with that far-seeing wisdom which looked to the future happiness and prosperity of the country he so loved, saw and rovided against every contingency. He was sati sfied that it would be impolitic, nay dangerous for the President of the United States, during times of great political excitement, to reside in a city ubject to violent political outbreaks-that the victorious candidate, when about to take his seat is chief ruler of the American people-elected, as he would be, by the votes of the dominant party for the time-being-might be subjected to rude harge of his duties, and he therefore provided a some for him entirely exempt from political inluences-a home in which the residents were to e deprived of all participation in the exciting ontests which would periodically convulse the

The District of Columbia was set apart for that . apress object. Here were to be congregated the lifferent departments-here were to reside the I resident and his Cabinet, and the army of clerks ecessary to conduct the business of Government. I he design was that they should interfere in no ay with elections. The clerks resident in Washi igton were, for the time being, disfranchised. le foresaw that the time would come when the ower of the Government would be great in this respect, and, it brought into competition with the freedom of elections, might defeat the will of the reople, and render nugatory the voice of the bal-I st-box, and place in official stations those only who were friendly to the existing administration.

He looked with precient eye into the future. I he power of the Government is openly brought i ito competition with the freedom of elections. In the city of Washington it has been exerted with a virulence unprecedented in the history of the world. To this exercise of power we owe the elevation of the present incumbent to the Mayoralty, a nd a'l the long catalogue of ills which have resulted to this community. To this we owe the present abominations in our midst. To this we owe the bloody deeds of "Bloody Monday," and ill owe all future ills which the power of an unrincipled government may inflict upon us, through the instrumentality of the unprincipled men whom i s power and influence have made rulers over the

ANOTHER ROWDY EXPLOIT. -On Thursday night of last week a number of rowdy rascals entered the residence of a quiet and orderly person in the First Ward, and after insulting the occupants of the house proceeded to smash every article of f uniture they could find and toss it into the street, while the unfortunate inmates fied for security of t eir lives. Thus we go! Under the

sent reckless dynasty there is neither safety f r jerson or property. Will not the people dewill be a removal of the present corrupt and degrading city administration.

Ms. LANAHAN. -- We learn that it is the opinion of his physicians that Mr. Lanahan cannot recover fi om the wound inflicted upon him on Monday 1 st. He has no idea of the danger of his situation--loss not dream that he is about to die, and

has high hopes of getting well. The ball cannot be extracted. It has changed

it's position, working its way nearer the lung, and t treatens to enter that delicate organ. It is thought and said that the ball was no

is tended for Lanahan, but for Hook. We have ust been informed that this is the fact-that I anah in, seeing the danger of his friend, sprang is front, and thus received the ball.

A SHAMEFUL OUTRAGE. - Yesterday morning a t to train in from Baltimore was nearing the railr and depot a passenger, Mr. Blakely, of Laurel Fact my, who was sitting in one of the cars, received in his cheek the ball from a pistol fired in the hands o f one of a party of young men then on the comn ons. The wound bled profusely, but we believe is happily not very serious. Surely the necessity for the en orcement of the bill to disarm rowdies is as glaring as noon-day.

THE DISARMING LAW.—We present a few reaons why the last law of the Corporation, prohibit ing the carrying of deadly weapons is invalid, and

1st. No power is given by the charter for any such purpose, either impliedly or expressly; and no power has hitherto been claimed or exercised, of punishing that or similar offences. Neither can such law be effectually enforced, for no powe is given the Corporation to search suspected per ons, even under oath.

2d. It creates a dangerous and unlawful dis rimination between one class of citizens, and another, by permitting the police to be armed, and forbiding it by heavy penalties in all other persons. Such discrimination finds no precedent in the annals of our jurisdiction, and is contrary to the spirit of our institutions. In the eyes of the law all are equals. We have no privileged

8d. It contravenes Art. VIII of amendments t the Constitution, which provides, that "excessive fines shall not be imposed," because it prohibits an action by heavy penalties, which has been hitherto indifferent, and in some cases, meritorious. 4th. It does not specify with sufficient precision

and clearness what may constitute an infraction o its provisions. Laws to bind the citizen must be clear and well defined; for the rule is, that penal statutes must

be strictly construed. Law is defined to be a rule of action, but here our rule of action fails uswhen assailed by violence? Who that will not for who shall say what constitutes a dirk? There neet force by force? If it be reasonable for a is no rule by which we can certainly know the man to get all he can in a lawful way, even to the distinction between a dirk and any other kind of knife-when a knife commences to be or when it ceases to be a dirk-therefore this act is no rule of action—is no law.

5th. It violates Art. II of amendments to the Constitution, which provides, "that the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be in fringed;" the supreme law of the land.

The right of keeping and bearing arms has always justly been considered second only to that of self-defence.

The English were sensibly alive to this fact to certain degree as early as 1688, when it was made a feature in the bill of rights, enacted 1 William and Mary, c. 1, by which it was enacted that the right of the subject to keep and bear arms, according to their condition, was sacred. But, owing to the ambiguity of the words "according to their condition," this right has been reduced to one more nominal than real, under various pretexts. But, happily, our Constitution leaves open no door for misconstruction of the right of the citizen in this respect.

The great objection to the adoption of the original constitution, and which nearly proved fatal to its adoption, was, the omission of a bill of rights. Accordingly, at the first Congress which met under its sanction, this, among other amendments, was proposed and subsequently adopted. It may be, and indeed has been urged by some that this does not allude to the carrying of con cealed weapons.

Here again we have occasion to call in our rule of construction, and must construe the prohibition to infringe upon the right of wearing and keeping arms, strictly in favor of the citizen.

The constitution makes no exception, because it did not intend to sanction any, and if any such exception had been intended, it cannot but be fairly supposed that it would have been expressed. "It is manifest," says Judge Story, "that the Constitution proceeds upon a theory of its own, and gives and withholds powers according to the

judgment of the American people." We can only construe its powers and cannot enquire into the policy or principles which induced

the grant of them. . entirely silent upon this point, for it never entered into their calculation that such exception would ever be seriously urged, and hence their silence. Nor do we find any such distinction as to weapons concealed or not, in the act before us. The policy of our Republic is eminently in favor of a well regulated militia, as the article just quoted declares, and any act which restrains the power to keep and bear arms violates that policyis unconstitutional, is of no

BOARD OF ALDERMEN .- A message was received from the Mayor, enclosing a communication from the Register in relation to the City Asylum. It lies upon the table until the Register shall have rendered a full report.

A bill for the relief of C. W. Mitchell was passed. An act for the relief of Mildred Johnson was rejected on the third reading.

A bill to authorize Thomas C. Morgan to erect a wharf at the foot of G street north, was, after debate by Messrs. Riggs, Goddard, and others, laid on the table.

Mr. Evans offered a bill for the appropriation of sufficient money for the repair of the bridges : which was passed. A bill for the grading of A street west, between

B and C streets, was passed. Mr. Evans introduced a bill for cleansing the streets in the 3d ward; passed. Also, a bill for grading and graveling 7th street

west; mich was referred to the Committee on Improvements. Also, a bill for improving E street north, be-

tween 8th and 9th streets west. A bill for the relief of H. Polkinhorn wa ferred to the Committee on Finance.

A joint resolution respecting the increase of the Auxiliary Guard was passed. A joint resolution in behalf of the public school

in Washington was passed. A bill to repair the engine and furnish hose to the Union Fire Company being under considera

Mr. Moore moved to lay it on the table; which was rejected. An amandment giving the company 500 feet of hose was passed.

A bill for the relief of Vespasian Ellis was so amended as to appropriate \$992 70 for printing, instead of \$1,368 60. The amendment was rejected-yeas 5, nays 8. The bill was then passedyeas 10, nays 3.

A bill for the education of the deaf and dumb of the city was referred to the Committee on Schools. Adjourned.

Model Denocratic Councilman.—We erred in stating, in our last issue, that the model Democratic councilman, represented the Fourth ward. We should have said Third.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19. Snow is falling here to night, accompanied by a heavy gale of wind.

CHICAGO, Nov. 19.—There was a heavy gale on the Lake last night, accompanied by snow. Several vessels are reported have been lost.

BUFFALO, Nov. 19 .- It is snowing here to-night. accompanied by a severe gale. The Patterson Banner says that about one

thousand persons will have to be provided for

in that city during the winter.

From Col. Forney's "Press" of Nov. 18. What they Think of it. "Out spoke & hardy, Highland wight, I'll fight, my chief, I'm ready."

The drift of all the news from Kansas, by mail and telegraph, shows conclusively that the so-called pro-slavery Constitutional Convention, like other bodies of whom we have read, is another form.dable instance of the adage that "whom the gods wish to destroy they first make mad." Some of the proposi-tions presented to that Convention—which, be it rememb red, represents a mere fragment of the voters of the Territory—would disgrace a despotism, others are merely ridiculous, while the whole affair looks to us, at this distance, as if the parties engaged in it had entered into

contract to mortgage the new State to their own individual interests for a century to come. There is a consistent disregard of the people manifested, a cool resort to trick, and an utter chamelessness, which altogether make up a satire upon representative bodies such as we have never before had the luxury to enjoy. The leading spirit in this Constitutional Convention seems to be a person called "General Calhoun," who was appointed from the free State of Illinois by General Pierce as Surveyor General of Kansas and Nebraska, and who in all his actions indicates a desire to imitate rather the character of the member of the French Senate employed to carry out the de-signs of Louis Napoleon than the representa tive of an honest American constituency. give in another column some of the doings his Convention; and have only to say that if the Constitution fabricated by this body is sent to Congress we trust that shert work will be made of it. It deserves nothing but contempt. If it has a single merit it is its consistency with the fraud and wrong which it is intended to perpetuate, and from which in great part t has grown. The idea of a set of men chosen as delegates to this convention attempting to bind posterity to their work, and daring to nullify, in advance, the will of the majority, is so monstrous that we wonder the outrage did not excite the whole people to civil war. The usurpation becomes the more amazing when we reflect that these very men who are trying to fix upon the Territory the rule of a minority were vociferous in denouncing the Topeka Constitution, which set out with asserting a similar principle, and was repudiated by Con-

gress and the country.

In speaking of doings like these we fee that it is idle to mince phrases, and we sin-cerely hope that if the constitution of Kansas s anything like the instrument it promises to be, from the intelligence we lay before our readers this morning, it will, when presented to the Congress of the United States, be thrown out of both branches by a unanimous vote. At any rate we trust that the Senators and Repre sentatives from Pennsylvania will boldly and at once put their feet upon it and spurn it as it deserves to be spurned.

Died, in Northampton, Mass., Thursday November 12, Mrs. Huldah Butler, aged nearly eighty-five. She was the widow of William Butler, who founded the present Hampshire Gazette in 1785, and conducted it nearly thirty ears, and died in 1831. She was the daugh ter of John Brown, of Pittsfield, distinguished in the Revolutionary war, who fell in battle on the Mohawk in 1780.

On Saturday last a large black eagle picked up a goose before the eyes of its owner, Mr. Samuel L. Bloss, of Bethlem, Litchfield county, who tried unsuccessfully to a get a shot at it but he set a common steel trap near the place, and on Tuesday morning he found his customer alive and kicking," but fast by the toes. Mr. B. secured it alive. It is said to be the large-est bird ever seen in that region, measuring from tip to tip of wings eight feet ten inches from bill to tail three feet; the longest quill in its wings thirty-two inches.

The will of the late Mrs. Dr. Rush, of Phila us, in effect makes her husband her so and absolute legatee. The estate is estimated at one million of dollars.

A CHEAT AND SWINDLE.—No greater cheat and swindle than the Kansas-Nebraska act. has ever been attempted in this country. Great as have been previous frauds of the "National Democracy," this overtops and shades them all.—Lex. Ob. and Republican.

Assassination .- Francis Vincent, keeper o an Italian groggery in New York, was killed and robbed at his own place on the 18th inst. The assassin escaped, but several arrests have since been made.

We recollect, says the Winstead, Connec ticut, Herald, of a young lady, a former resident of Winstead, beautiful and accomplished, the daughter of a pious and venerable Methodist elder. We remember her as a rapturous reader of Uncle Tom's Cabin in the village club of young ladies, and anti-slavery in all places and on all occasions. Not long ago we recorded the marriage of this young lady to an Alabama planter, who is the owner of five hundred

The St. Louis Democrat says that Marcus J Parrott, delegate to Congress from Kansas, has received his certificate of election Markets.

Markets.

Baltimore, November 19.—Flour: Howard street super, \$5.25; extra do. \$6@\$6.25; Ohio super \$5.25; extra do. \$6.25@\$6.25; City Mills super \$5.@\$5.37; extra do. \$6.25@\$6.75; Baltimore ground family \$8.25; extra do. \$7.25. Rye flour \$4.62. Buckwheat flour \$2@\$2.50. Cornmeal \$3.50. Wheat, white \$1.15@\$1.36; for fair to prime, and \$1.40 for choice samples; red \$1.10@\$1.18. Corn, white 72@78; yellow 73@78 cents. Whiskey 22@23½.

MARRIED. On the 19th instant, by the Rev. Dr. Thuff, Mr. JAMES McFALL, of Baltimore, to Miss CELL

HEISLER, of this city. On the 17th instant, by the Rev. Dr. Sunderland, Mr. JNO. H. LUTTRELL, of Washington, to Miss ANN VIRGINIA, second daughter of Warren Lowe, of Prince George's county, Md.

At Trinity Church, on the 19th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Cumnins, MALCOLM SEATON, to JANE, daughter of the late Benjamin Sprigg, all of this city.

In this city, on the 17th instant, by the Rev. Mr. O'Toole, EDWARD T. MATHEWS, to Miss. JANE E. FAHERTY, both of Washington.

DIED. On the 18th instant, Mr. JOSIAH STEWART, it

On the 17th instant, of water on the brain, RICH ARD W., son of Dr. Wm. P. and Eliza M. Connell aged 9 years and 10 months.

On the 17th instant, JAMES ALEXANDER BUSH infant son of James and Jane Maria Bush, aged tw years and three months. At Cumberland, Md., on the 14th instant, CARO-LINE, daughter of Geo. M. Kendall, and widow of the late Rev. S. W. Price, aged about twenty-three

At his residence, Capitol Hill, Mr. JOHN L. WIRT, in the 47th year of his age. At his residence, in Windsor, (Conn.) on Monday, November 2d, MARTIN ELLSWORTH, aged 74 years, cldest son of Oliver Ellsworth, the second Chief Justice of the United States.

THANKSGIVING .- It is understood that THANKSGIVING.—It is understood that there is to be a union of the churches of the Island on Thursday next. A thanksgiving sermon will be preached in Sixth Presbyterian Church, corner of Maryland avenue and Sixth street. The Methodists, Baptists, and Presbyterians all participating in the solemnities of the occasion.

On Sunday, it is expected the Rev. Mr. Meek will preach in this edifice.

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50 boxes new bunch RAISINS.

20 do Eleme FIGS.

2 barrels CRANBERRIES.

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10 boxes CITRON.

CURRENTS, ALMONDS, FILBERS, and PALM NUTS.

With a general assortment of Groceries, Wines,

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a Family Grand COMBS,
BRUSHES,
TOILET POWDERS,
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SEWING SILK,
COTTON, THREAD,
SUSPENDERS, PINS,
INK, PAPER, CAKES, CANDIES, &C
-ALSOand Snuff.
in short,

of the best brands and manufactory; in short, all most everything generally kept in such a store for

FOR RENT.—A brick status, and come for carriage and two horses.

Don't forget the place, No. 544 M street.

THOS. N. ADAMS.

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FAIR.

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HALLECK HOUSE. JOHN T. HALLECK, having renovated his house, and placed in it an Eating Bar, where can be found all that the market affords, ready to be served to visitors, would ask for a continuation the patronage that has been bestowed on him. J. T. HALLECK, n7 tf Corner of Seventh and G streets.

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ALSO, CORN MEAL, White and Yellow, BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, Fresh and Fine, And all that is expected to be kept in their line. Cheap for Cash. n4 tf

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PRIME CHEESE,
NEW BUCKWHEAT, and
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For Family Use,
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sincere thanks to the people of Washington and
Georgetown, for their liberal patronage, and we in
part as a return have erected a Spacious Building,
which will be an ornament to the city, with a lage
and airy Saloon, with all the convenience and comfort
of our customers; and in the establishment are all

the necessary arrangements for manufacturing and encouraging of Home Industry, and by a strict atten-tion to justice and integrity, we hope to give satis-WALL & STEPHENS, No. 322 Penn. av., bet. 9th & 10th sts.

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Great Variety of Ladies' and children's Hosiery.
I am determined to make the prices suit in all cases. Please call and see for yourselves.

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I would most respectfully ask those living on the Island, as well as the citizens generally, to call and examine for themselves, as they then will see that examine for temserves, as they then will see that there is no necessity to go further, as I am determin-ed not to be outdone, both as to prices and articles. Call therefore and examine, and you will find it to your advantage, for I intend to sell cheap for cash. By Do not forget the store, 595, Maryland Av. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of all

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